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Daniel F. Caruso, Chairman Connecticut Siting Council Ten Franklin Square New Britain, CT 06051

Dear Chairman Caruso:

The Connecticut Siting Council's Decision and Order dated April 24, 2008, includes a condition of approval for Docket 352 that the Council receive written notice of completion of construction for the Rood Avenue Substation and its associated transmission line connections.

In compliance with this condition, please hereby take notice that the completion of construction activities for the Rood Avenue Substation and associated transmission line connections, in accordance with the Development and Management Plan which the Council approved on May 22, 2008, as of yesterday December 8, 2009, was in service and carrying load.

We plan to complete the installation of a well and the septic system next year and the removal of the old Rood Avenue switching station should also be completed by early fall. At that time the landscaping in the area of the old switching station, well and septic system can be completed.

Sincerely,

John R. Morissette

Manager

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